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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS DATED AUGUST 20, 2001**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:


Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including December 20, 2001 in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 20, 2001.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$896.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$200.00) for a two month extension of time.

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